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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Adam K. Brandley and John R. Irwin

Serial No.:

09/212,127

Filed:

12/15/98 Electric Motor with Rotor Being a Drive Wheel

For: Group Art Unit:

2834

Examiner:

Clayton E. LaBalle

Attorney Docket No.: PBRANAEM

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed 10/13/2000 finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11-16, 18, 21-26, 28, 29, and 31-33 and objecting to claims 3, 4, 7, 10, 13, 14, 17, 19, 20, 23, 24, 27, and 30.

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of a small entity. A verified statement was already filed.

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

\$155.00 for a small entity.

Therefore, the Notice of Appeal fee which is due is \$155.00.

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17 (a)-(d)) for a total of three months, for which extension the fee is \$445.00.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee \$155.00 Extension fee \$445.00

TOTAL FEE DUE \$600.00

5. FEE PAYMENT

Attached is a check in the sum of \$600.00.

DATED this 12th day of April, 2001.

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Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

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